



Manchester University
NHS Foundation Trust

Second Opinion External Blood Film Referral Form

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General Haematology - Lab use only

Affix Specimen Label

Patient Details: *Please complete ALL sections legibly and label blood film adequately (minimum of 3 patient identifiers).*

Surname:		Hospital number:	
Forename:		NHS number:	
Date of Birth:		Sex:	
Sample Date/Time:		Referral Hospital:	

Referring Clinician/Healthcare Professional:

Requesting Doctor (in full):	
E-mail:	
Contact Tel (in full):	

FBC data:

FBC date	HB	WBC	PLT	MCV	MCH	Neuts	Lymph	Monos	Eos	Baso

Other relevant blood results:

Local Laboratory Film Report:

Clinical Details:

Reason for referral:

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|--|---|---|
| ☐ Abnormal cells requiring identification | ☐ Suspected acute leukaemia | ☐ Thrombocytopenia |
| ☐ Suspected lymphoma involvement | ☐ Suspected haemolytic process | ☐ Red cell morphology |
| ☐ Neutropenia | ☐ Pancytopenia | ☐ Atypical lymphocytes |
| ☐ Platelet morphology | ☐ Other (please specify): | |

Name of Clinician contacted
at MFT:

Date/Time contacted:

Guidance Notes

Referring Clinician/Healthcare Professional

The following details are mandatory:

- Requesting doctor: initials are not acceptable as the laboratory cannot identify the clinician/healthcare professional. A minimum of first initials and surname must be provided.
- Hospital should be clearly identifiable; initials are not acceptable as the laboratory cannot identify the hospital. Trusts with more than one hospital should clearly identify the referring hospital.
- Blood films should be clearly labelled with minimum of 3 patient identifiers. Film referred with insufficient details will not be reported. Other details should be completed as fully as possible:
- Requesting doctor must discuss with paediatric haematology clinical team at MFT prior to sending blood films.
- Email/Tel; without an email/telephone number, urgent results cannot be given.

**Please contact the General Haematology Laboratory
before sending the slides**

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Name of Haem Clinician
contacted:

Date/Time contacted:

BMS Initials: